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FROM BODILY FLUID
SAMPLES

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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

As a supplement to the response of March 22, 2005, please consider the following
remarks and amendments to the claims.